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Dated: 14 AUG 2019

To,  
M/s. Synokem Pharmaceuticals Pvt. Ltd.,  
14/486, Sunder Vihar Outer Ring Road,  
Paschim Vihar, Delhi-110087.

**Subject:** Permission for conducting Phase III Clinical Trial with FDC of Azelnidipine IP + Chlorthalidone IP (8mg + 6.25mg & 8mg + 12.5mg) uncoated tablets (Vide Protocol No. CT- Syn-AC- 2018, Version No. 1.0, dated 17-10-2018) - regarding.

Dear Sir,

With reference to your letter No. nil dated 08.05.2019 please find enclosed herewith the "permission to conduct clinical trial study of new drug" bearing no. CT-Drugs/69/2019 under the provision of Drugs and Cosmetics Act and Rules. The permission is subject to the conditions mentioned below.

Kindly acknowledge receipt to this letter and its enclosures.

Yours faithfully,



(Dr. S. Eswara Reddy)  
Drugs Controller General (India)

### CONDITIONS OF PERMISSION

- I. Clinical trial at each site shall be initiated after approval of the clinical trial protocol and other related documents by the Ethics Committee of that site, registered with the Central Licencing Authority under rule 8;
- II. Where a clinical trial site does not have its own Ethics Committee, clinical trial at that site may be initiated after obtaining approval of the protocol from the Ethics Committee of another trial site; or an independent Ethics Committee for clinical trial constituted in accordance with the provisions of rule 7:  
Provided that the approving Ethics Committee for clinical trial shall in such case be responsible for the study at the trial site or the centre, as the case may be;  
Provided further that the approving Ethics Committee and the clinical trial site or the bioavailability and bioequivalence centre, as the case may be, shall be located within the same city or within a radius of 50 kms of the clinical trial site;

- III. In case an ethics committee of a clinical trial site rejects the approval of the protocol, the details of the same shall be submitted to the Central Licensing Authority prior to seeking approval of another Ethics Committee for the protocol for conduct of the clinical trial at the same site;
- IV. The Central Licencing Authority shall be informed about the approval granted by the Ethics Committee within a period of fifteen working days of the grant of such approval;
- V. Clinical trial shall be registered with the Clinical Trial Registry of India maintained by the Indian Council of Medical Research before enrolling the first subject for the trial;
- VI. Clinical trial shall be conducted in accordance with the approved clinical trial protocol and other related documents and as per requirements of Good Clinical Practices Guidelines and the provisions of these rules;
- VII. Status of enrolment of the trial subjects shall be submitted to the Central Licencing Authority on quarterly basis or as appropriate as per the duration of treatment in accordance with the approved clinical trial protocol, whichever is earlier;
- VIII. Six monthly status report of each clinical trial, as to whether it is ongoing, completed or terminated, shall be submitted to the Central Licencing Authority.
- IX. In case of termination of any clinical trial the detailed reasons for such termination shall be communicated to the Central Licencing Authority within thirty working days of such termination;
- X. Any report of serious adverse event occurring during clinical trial to a subject of clinical trial, shall after due analysis, be forwarded to the Central Licencing Authority, the chairperson of the Ethics Committee and the institute where the trial has been conducted within fourteen days of its occurrence as per Table 5 of the Third Schedule and in compliance with the procedures as specified in Chapter VI;
- XI. In case of injury during clinical trial to the subject of such trial, complete medical management and compensation shall be provided in accordance with Chapter VI and details of compensation provided in such cases shall be intimated to the Central Licencing Authority within thirty working days of the receipt of order issued by Central Licencing Authority in accordance with the provisions of the said Chapter;
- XII. In case of clinical trial related death or permanent disability of any subject of such trial during the trial, compensation shall be provided in accordance with Chapter VI and details of compensation provided in such cases shall be intimated to the Central Licencing Authority within thirty working days of receipt of the order issued by the Central Licencing Authority in accordance with the provisions of the said Chapter;
- XIII. The premises of the sponsor including his representatives and clinical trial sites, shall be open for inspection by officers of the Central Licencing Authority who may be accompanied by officers of the State Licencing Authority or outside experts as authorised by the Central Licencing Authority, to verify compliance of the requirements of these rules and Good Clinical Practices Guidelines, inspect, search and seize any record, result, document, investigational product, related to clinical trial and furnish reply to query raised by the said officer in relation to clinical trial;
- XIV. The laboratory owned by any person or a company or any other legal entity and utilised by that person to whom permission for clinical trial has been granted used for research and development, shall be deemed to be registered with the Central Licensing Authority and may be used for test or analysis of any drug for and on behalf of Central Licensing Authority;
- XV. The Central Licencing Authority may, if considered necessary, impose any other condition in writing with justification, in respect of specific clinical trials, regarding the objective, design, subject population, subject eligibility, assessment, conduct and treatment of such specific clinical trial;
- XVI. The sponsor and the investigator shall maintain the data integrity of the data generated during clinical trial.
- XVII. Informed Consent Documents (ICD) viz. Patient Information Sheet (PIS) and Informed Consent Form (ICF) complete in all respect & must be got approved from the respective Ethics committee and submitted to CDSCO before enrolling first subject at the respective site.
- XVIII. In addition to the requirement of obtaining written informed consent, an audio-video recording of the informed consent process in case of vulnerable subjects in clinical trial of New Chemical Entity or New Molecular Entity including procedure of providing information to the subject and his understanding on such consent, shall be maintained by the investigator for record; provided that in case of clinical trial of anti-HIV and anti-leprosy drugs, only audio recording of the informed consent process of individual subject including the procedure of providing information to the subject and his understanding on such consent shall be maintained by the investigator for record, as per Government of India. Gazette Notification vide G. S. R. no. 511(F) dated 12.07.2015.

FORM CT-06

(See rules 22, 25, 26, 29 and 30)

PERMISSION TO CONDUCT CLINICAL TRIAL OF NEW DRUG OR INVESTIGATIONAL NEW DRUG

Permission no.: CT-Drugs/69/2019

1. The Central Licencing Authority hereby permits M/s. Synoken Pharmaceuticals Pvt. Ltd., 14/486, Sunder Vihar Outer Ring Road Paschim Vihar, Delhi-110087 (Name and full address with contact details of the applicant) to conduct clinical trial of the new drug or investigational new drug as per protocol number CT- Syn-AC- 2018, Version No. 1.0, dated 17-10-2018 in the below mentioned clinical trial sites.
2. Details of new drug or investigational new drug and clinical trial site [As per Annexure].
3. This permission is subject to the conditions prescribed in part A of Chapter V of the New Drugs and Clinical Trials Rules, 2019 under the Drugs and Cosmetics Act, 1940.

Place: .....

Date: 1.1.AUG.2019

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**Annexure:**

Details of new drug or investigational new drug:

Names of the new drug or investigational new drug:	Azelnidipine IP + Chlorthalidone IP (8mg + 6.25mg & 8mg + 12.5mg) uncoated tablets
Therapeutic class:	Cardiovascular Drugs
Dosage form:	Uncoated Tablets
Composition:	Azelnidipine IP + Chlorthalidone IP (8mg + 6.25mg & 8mg + 12.5mg) uncoated tablets
Indications:	For the treatment of essential hypertension

**Details of clinical trial site:**

Names and address of clinical trial site	As per annexure- A
Ethics committee details:	As per annexure- A
Name of principal investigator:	As per annexure- A

Sr. No.	Investigator & Trial site	Ethics Committee Name/Registration Number
1.	Dr. P. Sita Ramarao, Anu Hospitals, Kovelamudivari Street, Suryaraopet, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh-520002.	Institutional Ethics Committee, Anu Hospital, Kovelamudivari Street, Suryaraopet, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh-520002. ECR/1049/Inst/AP/2018
2.	Dr. Vivek Kumar, King George's Medical Univeristy, Lucknow-226003.	Institutional Ethics Committee, Research Administrative Block, KGMU, Lucknow-226003. ECR/262/Inst/UP/2013/RR-16
3.	Dr. Murlidhar Varma, Kasturba Hospital, Manipal-576104.	MAHE Ethics Committee, Mezzanine Floor of KMC old Library Building MAHE, Manipal-576104. ECR/191/Inst/KL/2013/RR-16
4.	Dr. Shilpa Patil, Krishna Institute of Medical Sciences Deemed University Karad, Pune-Bangalore Highway 4 Malkapur, Near Dhebewadi Phata Karad, Dist. Satara-415539	Institutional Ethics Committee of Krishna Institute of Medical Sciences Deemed University Karad, Pune-Bangalore Highway 4 Malkapur, Near Dhebewadi Phata Karad, Dist. Satara-415539 ECR/307/Inst/MH/2013/RR-16
5.	Dr. Nikalje Rajkumar Gautam, Lifepoint Multispeciality Hospital, 145/1, Mumbai Bangalore Highway, Hotel Sayajii Wakad, Pune-411057	LPR Ethics Committee, Lifepoint Multispeciality Hospital, 145/1, Mumbai Bangalore Highway, New Hotel Sayajii Wakad, Pune-411057. ECR/751/Inst/MH/2015/RR-18
6.	Dr. Abhijeet Nandkumar Deshmukhe, Ishwar Institute of Health Care, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor, Ishwar Heights, No. 6/1, Beside Panjabi Bhawan, Padegaon, Nashik-Mumbai Highway Road, Aurangabad-431002, Maharashtra	Ishwar Institute of Health Care, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor, Ishwar Heights, Gut No. 6/1, Beside Panjabi Bhawan, Padegaon, Nashik-Mumbai Highway Road, Aurangabad-431002, Maharashtra. ECR/988/Inst/MH/2017

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